

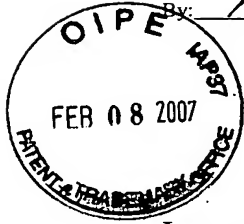
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Katsuei ICHIKAWA et al.

Application No.: 10/623,320

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For: TRANSMITTING DEVICE, VIDEO  
CAMERA DEVICE, TRANSMITTING  
METHOD FOR THE TRANSMITTING  
DEVICE, AND TRANSMITTING  
METHOD FOR THE VIDEO CAMERA  
DEVICE

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**Response to Restriction Requirement**

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 3, 2007, counsel for Assignee elects to prosecute Species 1 and the corresponding claims 1, 2, and 12-14.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-324-6303.

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